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FOR: METHOD OF DESCRIBING :  
OBJECT REGION DATA, APPARATUS  
FOR GENERATING OBJECT REGION  
DATA, VIDEO PROCESSING  
APPARATUS AND VIDEO PROCESSING  
METHOD

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action of May 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.